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WHISKY TRUST COLLAPSES

Distillers Meet with a Raid That Carries
Them Down 9 Per Cent.Close on New York 'Change Near the Day's Low-
est Figures—At Indianapolis There Was
Some Revival of Business on the Board.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Industrials All Halted and Railroads Weak-
er Under Pressure.At New York, yesterday, money on call
was easy at 1 1/2 per cent., the last loan
being made at 1 1/2 per cent., closing offered at 2 per
cent.Prime mercantile paper, 4 1/2 per cent.
Sterling exchange was quiet and easier,
with actual business in bankers' bills at
4 1/2 per cent. for sixty days and 4 3/4 per cent. for de-
mand.The total sales of stocks were 527,978
shares, including the following: Atchafalaya,
6,300; Burlington, 4,900; Chicago Gas, 15,
100; Lackawanna, 7,200; Distillers', 113,100;
Erie, 4,400; Louisville & Nashville, 5,500;
Manhattan, 3,400; Missouri & Pacific, 5,100;
National Lead, 9,000; New England, 12,900;
Northern Pacific preferred, 10,000; Reading,
7,700; Richmond Terminal, 8,000; Rock Island,
10,900; St. Paul, 20,600; Sugar, 53,800;
Union Pacific, 22,500; Western Union, 12,
600.There was a collapse in the price of
Whisky Trust at the opening of the Stock
Exchange yesterday morning, and for a
time dealings in those speculative ventures
were attended with considerable excitement.
There was a rush to sell at the opening,
and blocks of from 500 to 5,000 were thrown
on the market regardless of price. The
opening sale was at a 4 per cent. decline from
the closing figure Saturday, the first sale
being at 45 cents, at which it closed on
Saturday. From this figure the price
rapidly fell until it touched 38. This was
a decline of 9 per cent. from Saturday's
price. The selling was due to reports and
rumors that the whisky trust had failed.
The distillers and cattle-feeders company,
under which name the trust is known, was
in financial straits. It was stated, among
other things, that the trust had failed to
pay \$250,000 of debt. It was also stated
that the trust had failed to pay \$250,000 of
debt. The trust had been created, and that
the directors, at a meeting held on Saturday,
had decided to pass all further dividends
until the debt had been wiped out and the
trust re-established. Whisky re-
covered to 42 1/2 per cent. on Saturday,
and also on the day of the directors of the
statement that at their meeting on Saturday
they had decided to pass dividends.
The sales for the day were 1,400 shares,
248,475 shares. The trust had failed to
pay \$250,000 of debt. The trust had been
created, and that the directors, at a meeting
held on Saturday, had decided to pass all
further dividends until the debt had been
wiped out and the trust re-established. Whisky
recovered to 42 1/2 per cent. on Saturday,
and also on the day of the directors of the
statement that at their meeting on Saturday
they had decided to pass dividends.Har Silver at New York, 83 1/2 per cent.
on London, 39 7/16.

LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Provisions Up Another Notch, Eggs Advance
5 Cents and Vegetables Are Easier.It being mild weather trade yesterday
was quite active with the wholesale men.
The week begins with an advance in hog
products, lead reaching 13 1/2 at wholesale.
Eggs came in slow and the price yesterday
was advanced by shippers to 30c per
dozen. Receipts of Irish potatoes are more
liberal and yesterday they were selling at
\$1 a bushel. Other vegetables are easier in
tone. Sugars and coffee are very firm at
the advances of last week. The dry-goods
men talk of strong prices and goods are
moving well for January. The seed men
are shaping up matters for a brisk spring
trade, and there has been an improve-
ment in the last few days. Poultry
rules steady and firm. Butter, unless a
very choice article, moves slow. Prices are
easy except on the best quality.There was a better attendance on 'Change
yesterday. Prices on wheat and oats
ranged as on Saturday. Several grades of
corn advanced 1/2c. Track bids ruled as
follows:Wheat—No. 1, 3rd, 67c; No. 2, 3rd, 66c;
No. 4, 3rd, 65c; rejected, 50c; wagon wheat,
67c.Corn—No. 1 white, 40c; No. 2 white, 40c;
white mixed, 40c; No. 3 white, 39c; yellow
or two color, No. 4 white, 38c; No. 2 yellow,
38c; No. 3 yellow, 37c; No. 4 yellow, 36c;
No. 2 mixed, 35c; No. 3 mixed, 34c; ear,
mixed, 40c.Oats—No. 1 white, 35c; No. 2 white, 34c;
No. 3 white, 33c; No. 4 white, 32c; No. 1
mixed, 31c; No. 2 mixed, 30c; rejected,
20c.Hay—Choice timothy, \$12.50; No. 1,
\$11.50; No. 2, \$10; prairie, No. 1, \$7.50; No. 2,
\$6.50.

Bran, \$12.50 per ton.

POULTRY AND OTHER PRODUCE.

Poultry—Hens, 8c; 10c; young chickens,
5c; 6c; turkeys, 11c; ducks, 7c; 8c; geese,
5c; 6c; for choice.

Eggs—Shippers paying 30c.

Butter—Choice country butter, 10c; 11c;
cream, 8c; 9c.Cheese—New York full cream, 12c; 13c;
skim, 5c; 6c; (Jobbing prices).

Honey—17c.

Fruit—Prime grapes, 40c; 45c; mixed
dick, 20c; 25c.

Beeswax—20c for yellow, 15c for dark.

Wool—Fleece merino, 16c; 18c; unwashed
combing, 12c; 14c; 16c.Hides—No. 1 green hides, 4c; No. 2 green
hides, 3c; No. 1 light, 4c; No. 2 light, 3c;
No. 1 dark, 4c; No. 2 dark, 3c.

Horse Hides—\$2.25.

Grease—White, 5c; yellow, 4c; brown, 3c;
Hones—Dry, 12c; 13c.

PRODUCE, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Apples—Sun-dried, 7c; 8c; evaporated,
12c; 14c; 16c; 18c; 20c; 22c; 24c; 26c; 28c;
1.20.Cranberries—Per brl, \$10.11; \$10.50; per
crate.

Grapes—Malaga, \$7.50; 8.50.

Cider—\$3.50; 4c; 5c; 6c; 7c; 8c; 9c; 10c;
Bananas—\$1.25; 2c; bunch, according
to size and quality.Potatoes—\$1; 1 1/2; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9;
Lemons—Choice, \$3.25; 3c; box; fancy,
\$3.50.Oranges—Florida, \$2.50; 2c; 3c; box; Tan-
gerines, \$4.50; 5c; 6c; 7c; 8c; 9c; 10c;
Sweet Potatoes—Jersey, \$3; Virginia, \$4;
California, \$5.Cabbage—Michigan, \$3.75; home-grown, \$3;
4c; 5c; 6c; 7c; 8c; 9c; 10c; 11c; 12c; 13c;
Onions—\$4.50; 5c; 6c; Spanish, \$1.75; 2c;
Sister-Krant—\$9; 10c; 11c; 12c; 13c; 14c;
Apples—Green, fancy, \$5.50; 6c; 7c; 8c; 9c;
medium, \$2.50; 3c; 4c; 5c; 6c; 7c; 8c; 9c;
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